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Oliver R. Tambo
President

The African National Congress
(South Africa)

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The American Committee on Africa (ACOA), founded in 1953, grew out of efforts to support the "Defiance of Unjust Laws" campaign waged by the people of South Africa under the leadership of the African National Congress. In 1960, ACOA invited Oliver Tambo to address the American people for the first time.

ACOA launched The Africa Fund, its tax-exempt associate, in 1966 to educate Americans about issues of African freedom and to provide humanitarian assistance to victims of colonialism and apartheid. ACOA and The Africa Fund have been in the forefront of the anti-apartheid movement in the United States, spearheading nationwide campaigns for divestment and sanctions.

The Africa Fund has continued to provide, year after year, humanitarian aid for refugees from apartheid. At this reception, in cooperation with Artists United Against Apartheid, The Africa Fund will present President Tambo with a contribution of $100,000. This represents a portion of artist royalties from the "Sun City" album, which has sold over 1 million copies worldwide. These funds will support ANC educational and cultural projects for South African refugees. Proceeds from this reception will also benefit ANC refugee projects.

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